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COMMITTEE FOREIGN MINISTERS' (NACCFM) MEETING, KABUL,  
MAY 6-10.

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1. AMBASSADOR CALLED ON FORMIN RASHLEIGH JACKSON ON  
APRIL 20 TO DISCUSS THE FORTHCOMING MEETING OF THE NON-ALIGNED  
COORDINATING COMMITTEE AT KABUL. AFTER HE HAD MADE THE  
POINTS CONTAINED IN PARA 5 REFTEL, THE FORMIN RESPONDED WITH  
THE FOLLOWING COMMENTS ON THE VARIOUS TOPICS.

A. MIDDLE EAST. JACKSON SAID THAT THERE WOULD UNDOUBTEDLY  
BE A LIVELY DISCUSSION OF THE MIDDLE EAST AT KABUL WITH  
SYRIA AND LIBYA TAKING AN EXTREME POSITION AGAINST  
EGYPTIAN/ISRAELI NEGOTIATIONS INITIATED BY PRESIDENT SADAT.  
HOW MUCH INFLUENCE THEY WILL HAVE ON THE FORMULATION OF THE  
NACC'S MID-EAST RESOLUTION WILL DEPEND TO SOME EXTENT ON  
HOW EFFECTIVE THE EGYPTIAN OBSERVER IS AS A LOBBYIST.  
HE PROMISED THAT THE GUYANESE DELEGATION WILL WORK WITH  
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TANZANIA IN AN ATTEMPT TO MODERATE WHATEVER RESOLUTION  
THE NACC ADOPTS ON THE MIDDLE EAST BUT WITHOUT SAYING  
SO IN SO MANY WORDS JACKSON GAVE THE DISTINCT IMPRESSION  
THAT THE GOG WOULD NOT EXPEND MUCH "CAPITAL" TO ACHIEVE A  
MODERATE STATEMENT.

B. SOUTHERN AFRICA. AT KABUL THE GUYANESE DELEGATION WILL

WORK VERY CLOSELY WITH TANZANIA AND NIGERIA ON RESOLUTIONS DEALING WITH RHODESIA AND NAMIBIA. THE GOG DOES, OF COURSE, SUPPORT THE PATRIOTIC FRONT AND OPPOSES THE "SO-CALLED INTERNAL SETTLEMENT" WITHIN RHODESIA. JACKSON SAID THAT HIS GOVERNMENT IS HOPEFUL THAT THE RECENT DISCUSSIONS BETWEEN SECRETARY VANCE AND FOREIGN SECRETARY OWEN WITH NOT ONLY THE FRONT LINE LEADERSHIP BUT ALSO WITH MESSRS MUGABE AND NKOMO WILL INCREASE THE POSSIBILITY OF ACHIEVING AN ACCEPTABLE SETTLEMENT. AS FOR NAMIBIA JACKSON FEELS THAT THE OUT-COME OF THE SPECIAL SESSION WILL FORM THE BASIS FOR ANY FINAL POSITION THE NACC MIGHT TAKE ON THIS SUBJECT AT KABUL.

C. SPECIAL SESSION ON DISARMAMENT. JACKSON SAID THAT HE HAD NO SPECIAL PROBLEM WITH THE U.S. POSITION OUTLINED IN THE TALKING POINTS. HE ATTACHES GREAT IMPORTANCE TO THE SSOD AND SEES IT AS AN OPPORTUNITY TO MOBILIZE WORLD PUBLIC OPINION TO BRING PRESSURE TO BEAR ON GOVERNMENTS TO UNDERTAKE MEANINGFUL PROGRAMS OF DISARMAMENT. JACKSON IS OF THE OPINION THAT OFTENTIMES GROUPS WITHIN NATIOS ARE FAR AHEAD OF THEIR GOVERNMENTS ON SUCH QUESTIONS AND IF THESE GROUPS CAN FOCUS THEIR INFLUENCE ON THEIR POLITICAL LEADERS SIGNIFICANT PROGRESS CAN BE MADE.

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D. GUAM. JACKSON SAID THAT THE SUBJECT OF GUAM WOULD COME UP UNDER AGENDA ITEM 5AD AT KABUL. THE PRESSURE WILL COME FROM VIETNAM AND HE SUSPECTS THAT BECAUSE THE U.S. WILL NOT BE REPRESENTED AT KABUL AND THUS BE UNABLE TO MAKE ITS INFLUENCE FELT AS IT HAD IN THE COMMITTEE OF 24 LAST YEAR, THE RESOLUTION TAKEN ON THIS SUBJECT BY THE NACC MAY TILT MORE TOWARD THE VIETNAM POSITION. NEVERTHELESS, BECAUSE SO MANY MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE OF 24 ARE ALSO MEMBERS OF THE BUREAU OF THE NACC, HE IS HOPEFUL THAT THE RESOLUTION WILL NOT BE TOO RADICAL IN TONE.

3. PUERTO RICO. JACKSON SAYS THAT HIS GOVERNMENT'S POSITION ON PUERTO RICO REMAINS AS STATED PREVIOUSLY AND AS REPORTED IN GEORGETOWN 1028. HE REITERATED, HOWEVER, HIS WILLINGNESS TO LOBBY FOR MODERATE LANGUAGE.

F. KOREA. JACKSON CONFIRMED THE UNDERSTANDING THAT THE NORTH KOREANS WOULD BE LOBBYING AT THE NACC FOR A RESOLUTION FAVORABLE TO PYONGYANG. HE FEELS THAT LANGUAGE CLOSE TO NORTH-SOUTH COMMUNIQUE OF JULY 4, 1972, WILL PROBABLY BE ADOPTED. GUYANA'S PREVIOUS

POSITION REMAINS UNCHANGED (I.E., SUPPORTIVE OF SUCH LANGUAGE); HOWEVER, JACKSON REGISTERED ONE CAVEAT: VIZ, HE NOTED THAT PRIMIN BURNHAM WILL BE PAYING A STATE VISIT TO NORTH KOREA BEGINNING APRIL 21 AND THOUGH HE (JACKSON) HAD PREPARED A POSITION PAPER BEFORE THE PRIME MINISTER'S DEPARTURE CONSISTENT WITH EARLIER POSITIONS GOG HAD TAKEN ON KOREA, HE OBSERVED THAT "ONE COULD NEVER BE CERTAIN WHAT PRIME MINISTERS WOULD AGREE TO IN FINAL COMMUNIQUE ISSUED AT THE CONCLUSION OF STATE VISITS."

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G. MASS MEDIA. JACKSON HAD NO SPECIFIC COMMENT ON THIS.

H. NORTH/SOUTH ECONOMIC QUESTIONS. JACKSON FEELS THAT AT KABUL THERE WILL BE A FURTHER EXPRESSION OF DISAPPOINTMENT AT THE NORTH'S FAILURE TO RESPOND PROMPTLY AND IN ADEQUATE MEASURE TO THE NEEDS OF THE UNDERDEVELOPED COUNTRIES, DESPITE ON-GOING NEGOTIATIONS ON NORTH-SOUTH ISSUES IN VARIOUS FORA.

I. HUMAN RIGHTS. JACKSON DOUBTS THAT HUMAN RIGHTS WILL BE RAISED AT KABUL THOUGH HE ADMITS THAT THIS IS NO MORE THAN AN IMPRESSION BASED ON INCOMPLETE DISCUSSIONS HE HAS HAD ON THIS SUBJECT. HE SUGGESTED THAT USUN SHOULD BE ABLE TO PROVIDE A MORE PRECISE JUDGMENT AS TO WHETHER OR NOT HUMAN RIGHTS WILL FIGURE IN DISCUSSION BASED ON CURRENT SOUNDINGS WITHIN THE NACC ORGANIZING GROUP IN NEW YORK.

2. COMMENT: JACKSON IS OBVIOUSLY LOOKING FORWARD TO  
NACC MEETING. BECAUSE OF HIS YEARS AS GUYANA'S REPRESENTATIVE TO UN, THIS IS THE TYPE OF MEETING WHICH  
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HE UNDERSTANDS INTIMATELY AND IN WHICH HE CAN OPERATE  
WITH EASE. IF SOMEONE IS BEING SENT FROM EITHER USUN  
OR IO TO BE PRESENT IN KABUL, JACKSON WOULD BE A USEFUL  
CONTACT IN DETERMINING HOW THE MEETING IS PROCEEDING.  
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